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Hongkong, November 16, 1909. 1424

**SPORTING.**  
**Royal Hongkong Golf Club.**  
The Captain's Cup was played for at the Happy Valley from the 6th to the 8th inst. with the following results:-  
CAPTAIN'S CUP.  
\* J. G. S. Clausen 95-18 = 77  
John Johnstone 85-4 = 81  
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**Billiards.**  
**VOLUNTEERS' WIN TOURNAMENT.**  
The Soldiers' Club competition was completed last night when the Volunteers and Buffs played off the two last games in the final.  
In the first game Capt. Lamont (Vol.) easily disposed of Drummer Long (Buffs), who acted as a substitute for Col. Sgt. Eales, the latter being unable to turn up owing to sickness. The second game, which was between Pte. Bishop (Vol.) and Drum Major Dixon (Buffs) ended, much to the surprise of everyone, in an easy win for the latter by 77 points. The winner played throughout with great confidence, and although his highest breaks were only 27, 24, and 20 (2) he rarely visited the table for less than ten and never gave Bishop much of a chance to shine.

This is the first time the Volunteers have won this tournament, and, curiously enough, it is the only time they have entered since the permanent trophy was introduced in 1905. Never before has the same interest been taken in the competition, crowded houses being a common occurrence during the last six weeks. The winners had by no means a walk-over into the final as they only won their first match, against 881st Co. R.G.A. by 27 points, and although they defeated the Departmentals by 54, only 55 points separated the two teams before the last game was played.

The Buffs, in reaching the final, have accomplished what no other regiment has done for eight years. In defeating the strongly fancied Sappers they have created a record as the H. K. Police have been the only team to account for them on former occasions.  
Capt. Lyddon, A.O.D., won the cup for the highest break with 44. The first break of any importance to hold the field was a 38 by Sgt. Pitts, H. K. Police, and this was followed by a 40 by Major Lyddon, R.G.A. This was followed a week later by the 44 by Capt. Lyddon and although this ultimately secured the prize it might easily have been passed by Capt. Lamont, who had a 41, Sapper Helgh with 39, or Pte. Beattie with 38. If either of the three players had shown a little more discretion in the final strokes, the final scores were: Volunteers 2,389; Buffs, 2,122.  
Previous winners:-1901, R. Welsh Fusiliers; 1902, R. Welsh Fusiliers; 1903, Royal Engineers; 1904, Royal Engineers; 1905, Hongkong Police; 1906, Departmental Corps; 1907, H. K. Police; 1908, H. K. Police; 1909, R. U. A.

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any woman—is intellectually (whatever else  
she may be) on a lower plane than himself!  
On the contrary, he is still admitting, as he  
has steadily asserted for generations past,  
that she is not. For centuries he has  
pampered her in the ready belief that she  
is his equal. And, encouraged by man, she  
has taken an all-ways where an inch has  
been offered. Hence all his trouble. And  
now Woman is coming to the front with  
what is vulgarly called "a vengeance."  
And all the time the fact remains that Wo-  
man's active equality with man is really  
more to be feared than a Socialist Govern-  
ment; than the Yellow Peril itself!

It is true, of course, that the modern  
Suffragette may not represent more than a  
particular class of women; but all of  
them are, if less noisily, aggrandizing to  
themselves the Rights of Man. Fired by  
the obscure legends of more or less self-  
advertising heroines of the past, and by the  
indulgence of modern man (with a small  
"m," poor thing), Woman is generally  
advancing herself at his (and incidentally  
her own) expense, until she shall be-  
come a national danger. Man, greatly  
daring, must strive to put her into her  
right (and, if she only knew it, ex-  
ceedingly happy) position. Cabinet Minis-  
ters even have been fortifying themselves  
with male Police and other approved  
defences; yet no man seems bold enough  
to tell the truth about Woman. Many  
ladies have, in words and print, professed  
antagonism to the more militant form of  
advancing womanhood; many brave men  
have objected mildly to the militant  
methods of the Suffragette and bold Police  
Magistrates have even dared to do their  
duty. But, so far as I know, not a single  
(to say nothing of a married) man has ven-  
tered to rush in where angels fear to tread,  
and tell the historical, irrefutable, eternal  
truth of Woman's absolute inferiority to  
man! Let me, then (Minerva helping), try!

In what art—their physical powers apart—  
has dear, loving Woman ever shown her-  
self man's equal? In absolutely none,  
save possibly the dramatic. She cannot  
even make a bad as well as a ship's cabin-  
boy can. She cannot sew a button on to  
hold fast. She does everything in a happy-  
go-lucky way, armed not by reason but by  
what she very rightly calls "instinct" or  
"mother-wit"; which is a quality that I  
have observed in some of the lower animals.

Why, an ordinary Englishwoman cannot  
even cross the road without frightening a  
"bus-driver"!  
Let me be fair to her. She has one great  
argument of which she has made the most.  
She says that she is inferior to man only  
because she has for so many centuries been  
"kept down." She asserts that her in-  
tellectual powers, where not equal to man's,  
are only atrophied because she has never  
been allowed the proper use of them. She  
vows that Nature made her at least equal  
to her superior. I really believe that she is  
often insulted by the very idea of equality,  
being filled with an "instinctive knowl-  
edge" of her vast superiority of the poor  
male.

On the face of it there is something in  
the argument. Let us see how much water  
it will hold.

I will not compare a woman with a man  
in the matter of things that a man has  
exclusively been taught to do. I will give  
the lady every advantage. But there are  
at least four trades, or arts, which have  
been inculcated from time immemorial in  
all women who have undergone any kind  
of education at all. These four are sewing,  
drawing, music, and cooking. All girls are  
—and have always been—taught in these  
arts from childhood; boys rarely or  
never. They are particularly within what  
has been known as "Woman's Sphere,"  
and have been since civilization began.  
And how women excel in them! They  
cannot build houses, or aeroplanes or,  
indeed, anything except castles in the air  
—so well as a man may, "because" they  
have not been brought up to do so. Good!  
But they have been brought up to the  
practice of these four businesses; and by  
their conduct of them it seems fair to judge  
them.

They began sewing with "FAY" and I  
believe that a woman is as good a woman  
now as she was then. But which of them,  
if she wants a "best dress," does not go to  
a man for it? Why does woman "go for"  
the tailor-made dress for walking? I think  
it is because she knows her sex's inferiority  
at the work. Does not M. Worth still hold  
the position as manufacturer of the best  
costumes? Lives there the woman who dare  
deny it? The female dressmaker took a  
black seat after all the ages so soon as man  
began to dress her. She is only employed  
at all nowadays because she works more  
cheaply than man; which is in itself a  
tribute to him.

Why, woman was not even able to invent  
the needle!  
Take drawing or painting! The art has  
been taught in every seminary for young  
ladies since schools were invented. Very  
few boys are taught art. They have to  
develop it for themselves. Yet where are  
women in the art world? Plenty of them  
can draw pretty pictures, no doubt. We  
see their names on Christmas cards quite  
commonly. But why are not more than  
two or three women represented in the  
walls of our National Gallery? Such few  
as Angelica Kauffman, Rosa Bonheur, and  
Miss Thompson (Lady Butler) nearly sum  
up our women who have any claim to  
be artists.

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General Memoranda.

THURSDAY, June 9.—  
11.30 a.m.—Lecture by His Lordship  
the Bishop in Peak Church.

The China Mail.

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, JUNE 7, 1910.

CULTURE IN EDUCATION.

SOME few weeks since we had occasion to advise the exercise of the greatest care and discretion by those who will control the destinies of the Hongkong University when they come to make up their minds upon the question of the fundamental policy by which the institution shall be guided. We are encouraged to again revert to the theme as a result of having had our attention called to a most thoughtful and suggestive article, printed in the pages of *Indian Engineering*, on the subject of "Idealism and Realism in Professional Education." Coming from a journal whose chief concern is with the practicalities of life, the general tenor of the article is certainly not what one would be led to expect. For this reason its message is all the more significant. It opens with a declaration that it is time scholars in all professions, even the most practical, and the least scholastic and lofty, combined to form a cult to arrest "the advances of professional barbarism into the preserves of professional culture." This is the main burden of the contribution, which, however, gives expression to a number of illuminating thoughts arising therefrom.

"The fact is," the article continues, "that the benevolent protagonists of what they style the modern break of realism from shadowy idealism, or the conversion of education from theoretical refinements into a practical utilitarianism, overlook the two-fold nature of man, which is not a body inhabited by a soul, but a soul clothed in a body. Though it is conceivable that earlier educationists may have overdone the purely classical and mathematical foundations laid for modern education, it can never be forgotten by the truly enlightened mind that (1) school and college careers are rather to instruct men in the art of educating themselves later in life than in finishing their education; and (2) that, if the bias in the direction of refinement and elegance imparted by classics, and in the direction of precision imparted by mathematics, be excluded by artificial barriers from the youthful consciousness, in the most impressive years of its receptivity, the adult mind can never recover their fruits later in life, when the mind has hardened upon the material relations of life in its impact on profitable business." After pointing out that bread-winning is by no means man's only, chief or most elevating aim, the article asserts that "there is no profession in civilized life, be it shoemaking or medicine, which

suffers, even in the matter of bread winning, which does not benefit in many other matters as 'ennobling as that, by a proportioned infusion of culture; and the beauty of this great truth lies in the fact that, inasmuch as the human consciousness is structured like stratified rocks in parallel layers, whose planes do not interfere with each other, though a subtle influence runs through and co-ordinates them all, culture never excludes, it often beautifies and strengthens the best kind of utilitarianism. While on the one hand it is religion which inspires with the loftiest ambitions, it is a foundation in the idealism deposited by classics and the precision deposited by mathematics, on the mind, that, without preventing a student from developing into the most practical kind of person possible, helps him to become the highest kind of practical man procurable by any system of education. While, therefore, modern utilitarianism has done well in introducing a large infusion of science into education, with the purpose of laying a foundation for commercial or professional callings, of which applied science forms an important element, it errs in prejudicing those who have to make choice between the various portions of the syllabuses of colleges and schools, against the classical and mathematical teaching which still lingers in the vestibules of the soundest education, but runs some risk of being banished from some of their ancient strongholds by the utilitarian barbarism which is rushing upon our seats of learning with the savage severity with which the Goths rushed upon Rome. The result of that invasion was a set back in the reign of law and in the study of philosophy, which was imperfectly compensated by the improved thews and sinews which those northern hordes brought into the legs and arms of the population of the invaded tracts. After all, it may be in the compromise between idealism and realism that the true education of men, who are souls garbed in bodies, will be found; and while so-called practical men are bent on introducing as much practical knowledge into seats of learning, let the scholars, who are charged with keeping alive the sacred flame of culture on the altar of the human consciousness, beware of allowing utilitarian philistinism to extinguish it."

These are words well worthy to be pondered by those who will have the direction of the most important and far-reaching educational enterprise upon which the Colony of Hongkong has ever embarked, as well as of those who will rejoice in the justifiable privilege of being counted its students. Penned on a broad and general question, they nevertheless can be applied with good effect to Hongkong's particular case. That the University will fulfil a valuable work in turning out hundreds of skilled, practical men no one can dispute. But that its functions will cease here all true, far-seeing educationists will repudiate. Schools of engineering, colleges of medicine, technical institutions can do this. A University alone can supply that culture, that "tone"—we use the word in no affected sense—which, combined with the capacity to do and to perform, is the hallmark which distinguishes every truly educated person. It will be no easy task, with the peculiarities of our position and the type of student who will most likely be attracted to the University, to ensure a permeating element along with the practical utilitarianism which must be given a prominent place. But it is, none the less, one worthy of the best endeavours of the teachers and the most earnest consideration of the taught.

A return of railway accidents and casualties in the United Kingdom during 1909, issued by the Board of Trade, states that altogether 771 persons were killed and 9,502 injured in the course of public traffic. In addition to these 62 persons were killed and 20,702 injured on railway premises, but in accidents where the movement of vehicles used exclusively on railways was not concerned. Sixty-three fatalities to persons passing over railways at level crossings are included in the first set of accidents, while no fewer than 450 trespassers, including children, were killed on the line. One passenger and 10 servants were killed in train accidents.

## NEWS OF THE DAY.

Steamboat service on the Thames has been resumed by the City Steamboat Company's eleven vessels, which will ply between Greenwich and Battersea.

Speaking at the opening of the Lydenburg Railway, Transvaal, General Botha counselled closer ties of Empire, and besought Afrikaners to run the Union elections on non-racial lines.

Japanese bluejackets were first and Argentine bluejackets second in a boat race on 30th ult. at Buenos Ayres, participated in by representatives of the navies attending the Argentine anniversary.

Unclaimed dividends amounting to 243,908 are standing to the credit of shareholders in the Golden Horseshoe, a West Australian mining company. This statement was made at the annual meeting.

In order to show the unity among Labour men within the Empire Canadian trade unionists have offered the British Labour Party to provide funds for the election and maintenance of a member of Parliament.

Yokohama won the Pairs and the Double Sculls at the Interport regatta, defeating Kobe after a good exhibition in both races. H. E. Hayward, formerly of Hongkong, was low in the winning boat in the double sculls.

The Chinese Engineering and Mining Company, Limited, report that the total output of the Company's three mines for the week ending 21st May 1910 amounted to 10,050.49 tons and the sales during the period to 28,620.60 tons.

The revenue of Newfoundland for the ten months ended on April 30 indicates a surplus at the end of June of \$34,000, being nearly twice as large as any previous surplus in the Colony's history. The imports are unusually heavy and all branches of trade are "booming."

The wonderful juvenile artist Little Sadie, who so greatly pleased the patrons of the Empire Cinematograph not long ago, has returned to the Colony and will appear this evening. Miss Myra James and Mr. Sam Gale will also appear in addition to the other artists.

The Court of Marine Inquiry at Sydney has suspended the certificate of Captain Hagill, of the B. I. steamer *Satara*, recently lost on the Australian coast, for six months. The ship was in charge of a Government pilot at the time, but the Court had no power to deal with him.

In the cricket matches played on May 26, 27 and 28, Yorkshire beat Derbyshire by an innings and 142 runs; Lancashire beat Somersetshire by an innings and 248 runs; Hampshire beat Gloucestershire by nine wickets; Northamptonshire beat Nottinghamshire by 237 runs; and Middlesex beat Sussex by 92 runs.

The King sent a Message to the people of South Africa on the occasion of the birthday of the Union in which he expressed the earnest hope and strong confidence that the new Constitution will, under Divine Providence, further the highest welfare of South Africa and add to the strength of the Empire.

Owing to the accumulation of fatted geese in the cofferdam of the tank steamer *Conch*, then undergoing repairs at Kappel Harbour, Singapore, six men were overcome, and Mr. D. Munro, Superintendent Engineer of the Tanjong Pagar Dock Board, who was among them, has sustained a fractured skull.

The Yokohama office of the C. P. R. is in receipt of a wireless message from the R. M. S. *Empress of China*, which left Vancouver on the evening of the 25th ult., reporting "all well," and that the Commander expects to reach Yokohama at 6 p.m. to-day. At the time the above message was despatched the steamer was 700 miles distant from Japan.

On their winning the English Cup Newcastle United Football Club received a congratulatory cablegram from Earl Grey, Governor-General of Canada, reading: "Heartiest congratulations. Well may the keel row.—Grey, Governor-General." Earl Grey's seat is Howick House, Leasbury, Northumberland, and he has also been Lord-Lieutenant of the county.

Mr. Cheng Chang Lu, of Ningpo, China, delivered a lecture on 3rd May at the Steyning Public Library, Mile-end, on "The Industrial Development of China." Mr. Lu, who is student of Sheffield University, said that if Great Britain, the kingdom of liberty and fair play, with its vast Empire, and China, a country of immense natural resources and a hard-working people, would, without prejudice, assist each other, they would together make a powerful engine of progress in the world. Surely it was time for both countries, which in the past had had much bitterness and trouble through misunderstanding, to try to understand one another better.

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## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Dr. Wilder delivered a beautiful address at the Memorial Day celebrations at Shanghai.

The death of Dr. Koch, the famous bacteriologist, was due to heart disease. He was only 57 years old.

The Rev. Canon J. Wainwright, M.A., vicar of St. Ann's, Nottingham, has accepted the Bishopric of Sierra Leone.

A grandson has been born to Sir John Anderson at Government House, Singapore. Both Mrs. Farrant and the infant are flourishing.

A Parsee lady has achieved the distinction of being the first of her sex to become a Licentiate of the Royal College of Physicians in England.

Mr. Peter McKenzie, last of the old Hudson's Bay factors and a friend of Lord Strathcona, has died at Montreal, Canada. He was known to Indians and whites all over Canada.

Captain James Norris, United States Navy, retired, is dead. Captain Norris was one of the naval heroes of the Spanish-American war. He was coo of Admiral Dewey's ship commanders.

King George has telegraphed to King Manuel of Portugal recalling King Edward's attitude towards the Anglo-Portuguese alliance, and stating that it would be maintained under the new reign.

The Peace Society proposes to raise \$50,000 to be devoted to propaganda in perpetuation of the work of King Edward VII for peace and goodwill. Mr. Andrew Carnegie and Sir William Mather have each contributed £1,000.

Sir John de Villiers, K.C.M.G., P.C., Chief Justice and President of the Legislative Council of Cape Colony, has been made a Baron of South Africa on the occasion of the Union and is also appointed Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Union.

Mr. Asquith's long conference with King Manuel of Portugal at Lisbon, which the Premier visited in the course of his holiday tour, is believed in Portugal to concern his Majesty's marriage. At the conference the Portuguese Premier and the Minister for Foreign Affairs were in attendance.

According to the *Daily Telegraph* Sir Ludo Fildes, B.A., who in the death chamber sketched a portrait of the late King, describes King Edward's features as suggesting "the majesty of kingship or a beautiful kingliness; yet his face is so transfigured that there is no harshness about him. Every vestige of tiredness and weariness has gone. The features strongly suggested a likeness to those of his father, Prince Albert."

Major-General Sir A. R. F. Dordard, K.C.B., D.S.O., R.E., who gave up the appointment of chief administrative officer in South Africa about a year ago, attains in a few weeks the age of 57, and will be retired on a pension of £700 per annum. This officer, who was the first commander at Wei-hai-wei, joined the army nearly 42 years ago, and was awarded the K.C.B. for his services at the relief of Tientsin and Peking in the China expedition, 1900.

Sir George Astley Callagan, K.C.V.O., C.B., who has been promoted Vice-Admiral in consequence of the voluntary retirement of Vice-Admiral Niblett on April 27, was in command of H.M.S. *Hermione*, China, April, 1898, to July, 1899, and of the *Endymion* on the same station, July, 1899, to February, 1901. Whilst in command of the latter ship he took part in the "Boxer" war of 1900, commanding the naval brigade which accompanied the allied army to the relief of the Peking Legations. For this service he received special mention in Sir Edward Seymour's despatches, and in Nov. 1900, was rewarded by the C.B.

The *L. and N. E. Express* says:—"Singapore, which has been called 'The Gate of the Pacific,' will greatly benefit from the change in naval organisation in the Far East. Its immensely strong strategic position, will be greatly enhanced by the completion of the great docks of the Tanjong Pagar Dock Company, owing to the facilities for docking and refitting they will give, not only to the mercantile navy, but to the ships of the Royal Navy. The largest dock will be able to take the latest *Dreadnought* and have something to spare above and below. Should naval matters develop in that direction Singapore may become the headquarters of the Eastern Fleet."

A London telegram dated May 31, printed by the *N. O. Daily News*, says that correspondence which has passed between the Aborigines Protection Society and Sir Edward Grey, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, has been published. On May 11 the Society wrote that nothing that had occurred in the Congo equalled in horror some acts that were alleged to have been perpetrated in connexion with the enforced collection of rubber by British syndicates in the valleys of the Putumayo and the Amazon. The evidence, it is stated, is too revolting to be published. On May 19 Sir Edward Grey replied that the question was engaging the serious attention of the Government, and that he was communicating with the United States regarding the course to be pursued.

[CORRIGENDUM.]  
THE ANGLO-AMERICAN  
DISPUTE.

PROCEEDINGS COMMENCE AT  
THE HAGUE.

(*Reuter's Service to the China Mail.*)  
LONDON, June 7.

Reuter's correspondent at the Hague wires that before the Arbitration Court Sir Robert Finlay opened the case for Britain in the Anglo-American North Atlantic fisheries dispute. Sir Robert made a lengthy exposition of Britain's rights under the Treaty of 1818 in reference to the control of the fisheries.

POLITICAL TRUCE  
ENDED.

THE CABINET AND THE IRISH.

(*Reuter's Service to the China Mail.*)  
LONDON, June 7.

A Cabinet meeting is to be held this afternoon, after which Mr. T. P. O'Connor will interview Mr. Lloyd George.

THE MESSINA EARTH-  
QUAKE.

ROYAL RECOGNITION OF  
ASSISTANCE.

(*Reuter's Service to the China Mail.*)  
LONDON, June 6.

In recognition of the assistance rendered at the earthquake in Sicily King Victor Emmanuel has conferred a number of gold medals. Among the recipients are the Indian and Japanese Governments and the Prince Regent of China.

## SOCIALISM.

THE MENACE OF THE AGE.

(*Reuter's Service to the China Mail.*)  
LONDON, June 6.

Speaking at Jackson (Michigan), President Taft proclaimed Socialism to be the great problem confronting America. The issue, which would soon come, must be skillfully met.

## A MATTER OF DISTANCE.

Correspondence with regard to a proposed site for a latrine at Taiping Shan was considered at the meeting of the Sanitary Board this afternoon.

Mr. A. Shelton Hooper minuted—The proposed site is only 180 feet from the Nethercole Hospital. I think it should be placed further North.

Dr. Fitzwilliam—I do not think Mr. Shelton Hooper's objection is serious and would point out that the site of the late latrine was much closer to a much more important hospital. I think 60 yards is outside a danger area, especially when the lay of the land is taken into account.

Hon. Mr. A. W. Brown—Agrees with Dr. Fitzwilliams.

The committee appointed by the Earl of Crews, Secretary of State for the Colonies, to consider the matter of distressed colonial and Indian subjects stranded in Great Britain has delivered its report. The committee subdivides these subjects into seamen and non-seamen. It recommends that in the case of seamen belonging to the Dominions notices should be posted at the shipping offices in the Dominions that if they sign on for a voyage which terminates in Great Britain they may experience difficulty in finding a ship for the return voyage. The Government of the Dominions, the report continues, should arrange with the Board of Trade for the repatriation of those recommended by the High Commissioners or the Agents-General. The expenses of repatriation of non-seamen should not be borne by the Government of the possession to which the distressed persons belong, but a small rate should be taken by the Local Government Board to repay the expenses of guardians or charities incurring the repatriation.

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AMERICAN MERCHANTS  
TO VISIT HONGKONG.

PARTY ARRIVES IN SEP-  
TEMBER.

(*Independent News Agency's Service to the China Mail.*)  
TOKYO, June 7.

A party of 40 prominent business men in the American cities on the Pacific Coast have been invited by Chinese Chambers of Commerce in South China to visit this part of the world. They will come in September and will visit among other places Hongkong and Canton.

## HIGH PRICE OF RICE.

FEAR OF RIOTS.

(*Wah Tat Yat Po's Service.*)  
PEKING, June 6.

All the Foreign Ministers have approached the Wai-wu-yu (Board of Foreign Affairs) urging that in view of the high price of rice in the Southern and Eastern Provinces, and the consequent probability of riots breaking out, every precaution should be taken to protect foreign commerce.

## CHINA'S NEW COINAGE.

(*Wah Tat Yat Po's Service.*)  
PEKING, June 6.

The Board of Revenue has submitted for inspection the various kinds of new coins which it is proposed to have struck.

## AVIATION IN HONGKONG.

In the presence of a considerable attendance of spectators at Happy Retreat on Monday evening, Mr. Hildebrand, who is well-known throughout the Far East as an aeronaut, made a successful balloon ascent and parachute descent.

The balloon from which the parachute descent was made was filled with hot air to the capacity of about 80,000 cubic feet. The ascent was made rapidly and then the balloon drifted in an easterly direction. When directly over the race course the descent by parachute was beautifully made and after drifting for some time finally came to rest in the trees on the hillside near "The Calvary."

CHRISTIAN OR NON-  
CHRISTIAN?

An application was considered at the meeting of the Sanitary Board this afternoon for permission to bury remains in the Protestant Cemetery.

Mr. A. Shelton Hooper—As there is no proof the deceased was a Christian we have no power to grant it. The fact that the deceased was buried at Caroline Hill indicates she was not a Christian.

Hon. Mr. E. A. Horweth—in view of the very limited space in the Protestant Cemetery, I consider no Chinese should be buried there unless clear proof is brought forward that they were practising Christians during their lifetime.

Mr. Lau Che Pak—Is there not a site set apart for the burial of non-Christians? Hon. Mr. A. W. Brown—I think we might assume they were Christians as the application is made by a Christian. We cannot enquire into the religion of every person who has to be buried in the cemetery. I assume my grandmothers were Christians, but I can give the Board no proof without a very great deal of trouble and enquiry.

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TUESDAY, JUNE 7, 1910.

## JAPANESE TRAINING SQUADRON ARRIVES.

## Amusing Guard of Honour Incident.

The Japanese training squadron, consisting of the cruisers Aso and Soya, arrived in harbour this morning from Singapore and were saluted by the port. They at first took up positions in Hougham Bay, but later moved to the man-of-war anchorage, where they are now moored. The squadron is in command of Admiral Iijima, while the 180 cadets on board include H. L. E. Prince Kitashirakawa. Both warships are of 8,000 tons register, and with their four funnels, resemble in appearance the former British flagship King Alfred. They are now easily the most imposing man-of-war in the harbour, owing to the absence of the British Fleet, which is at present in Northern waters. As is known, both cruisers are prize ships seized from the Russians in the late war, the Soya, which is commanded by Captain Suzuki, being formerly the Varzha, which sank in Chomulpho harbour and after great exertions was raised, and the Aso, which is commanded by Captain Sato, being formerly known as the Mayan.

Shortly after the arrival of the cruisers this morning the Japanese Consul-General (Mr. T. Furusaka) paid a visit to the Admiral, while later Admiral Iijima called on Rear-Admiral Lyon on the Tamar, as well as on other warships in harbour.

An incident not without its amusing aspect was associated with the official landing of the Admiral. Shortly before 3 o'clock a guard of honour drawn from the Buffs Regiment lined up opposite Blake Pier in readiness for the reception of the distinguished visitor. When the hour had struck the officer in command began to display some anxiety, for there was no one present from Government House to receive the Admiral, while the customary official chairs and red-uniformed coolies were also missing. Vision of the visiting Admiral and staff having to march at the tail of the guard all the way to Government House began to be conjured up, but when a quarter of an hour had elapsed and the Admiral had not made his appearance, it became patent that someone had blundered. Accordingly, the officer in command gave the order "Quick March!" and the guard, headed by the band, playing as though nothing unusual had happened, took its departure. It appears that there was some misunderstanding as to the precise time of landing, and that the Admiral had come ashore at 2.30 o'clock and been escorted to Government House by a guard of Sikh policemen, unknown to the officers of the Regiment. Later in the afternoon Sir Henry Murray returned the call.

To-morrow the cadets will probably pay a visit to the dockyards at Taku and at Kowloon, and also inspect the Indian Regimental quarters at Kowloon. At night, as well as on Thursday, the officers of the visiting squadron will be entertained at the Japanese Consulate to dinner, while on Friday at 4.30 the Japanese community will give what is described as an afternoon party to the cadets, as well as the sailors, numbering in all some 300, at the Racecourse. Sports, etc., will be indulged in. This latter gathering was to have taken place on Saturday, but arrangements have now been made for the squadron to depart on that morning for the North.

## ITEMS AT THE COURTS.

A sentence of two weeks' imprisonment and six hours' stocks was imposed on a native at the Magistracy to-day, for stealing a pair of trousers.

The coxswain of the steam launch Hoi Po was fined \$200 by Mr. E. R. Hallifax for carrying ninety-four passengers in excess of the number allowed.

A native student from Annam was charged at the Magistracy to-day with being in possession of four rifle barrels without a licence. The case was adjourned.

Inspector Robertson prosecuted two Chinamen at the Magistracy to-day, for being in possession of some oil, value \$88. Bail was allowed in the sum of \$40, the case being remanded.

A sentence of fourteen days imprisonment with hard labour was imposed on a defendant at the Magistracy to-day for stealing a bundle of clothing from a passenger on the s.s. Kwong Sai.

An Italian stevedore named Filippo Scarpa has been arrested on the Haimon on his arrival from Haifong. It is alleged that he has committed the crime of murder within the jurisdiction of China. Prisoner was committed to jail pending extradition proceedings.

For being in possession of three taels and seven mace of opium a native was fined \$205 at the Magistracy to-day. It is understood that defendant was on his way from Canton to Peking and was arrested on the arrival of the s.s. Ho Nam. Another defendant, for a similar offence, was fined \$225.

## PRESS AS BOND OF EMPIRE.

Speaking at the anniversary dinner of the Newspaper Press Fund, the Earl of Ormeau said that the work of the Press for the achievement of Imperial unity could be achieved. It was therefore the proud privilege of the newspaper Press to play the first and important part in bringing about the means of unity.

But you did not think it was necessary to use firearms or call the chief officer?—The case of firearms would not be allowed. Not even for mutiny?—It would be the last resort.

But it was not even had enough to call the first officer to your aid?—It was very serious. But not serious enough for that?—No. It would not be prudent to strike at the time.

The hearing was again adjourned.

## COMPRADORE SUES CAPTAIN.

## "Mutiny" on A Stranded Vessel.

The case was resumed, before Mr Justice Hazland at the Supreme Court to-day, in which Wong Fiu Ng, compradore to Messrs Macdonald and Co., sued A. A. Johnson, as master of the s.s. Sui On, to recover \$1,000 damages for assault and false imprisonment on February 24.

Mr. Edson Foster appeared for plaintiff, instructed by Mr. E. Davidson, and Mr. G. C. Alabaster defended, instructed by Mr. Shenton.

The following constituted the special jury:—Messrs J. A. T. Plummer (foreman), J. A. Hunter and D. Cooper.

Mr. Alabaster, addressing the jury, stated that if the plaintiff wanted damages he could bring another action. The jury could not give him the \$60 which he claimed as part of his legal expenses for employing Mr. Davidson to do anything at the Police Court. It was quite true that when a person was wrongfully imprisoned he might recover the expenses he was put to in getting out of wrongful detention. That was to say, if he chose to bring another action, he might get his costs. But when imprisonment was followed by a prosecution the law was drawn very clearly. The prosecution here began as soon as the complaint was made to the Inspector. Mr. Davidson did not come on the scene until the plaintiff was actually in the Court before the Magistrate. Plaintiff never sent for legal assistance as soon as he was arrested, as he might easily have done. Mr. Alabaster then went on to deal with justification in law.

Mr. Foster—Does my friend suggest that all the passengers on the ship were imprisoned?

Mr. Alabaster—A definition of imprisonment is if you are restrained and cannot go which way you like.

Mr. Foster—Does it not imply that a man must be restrained at once?

Mr. Alabaster—Supposing a man is down a well, why should he go down to get him up and put him in prison? Proceeding, Mr. Alabaster said the jury had to decide whether the plaintiff obeyed or disobeyed the lawful orders of the captain. If a passenger on a British ship that had a passenger certificate wilfully obstructed the crew in the execution of their duty the captain might detain him on board and hand him over to the police, who could take him before the Magistrate. It was a felony to do grievous bodily harm, and he would prove that grievous bodily harm was done to the compradore of the ship. If the captain had reasonable ground for thinking the plaintiff was one of the party, even if he was not, the captain was justified in giving him in charge. In this case the plaintiff was not only one of the party but was the active spirit. He struck blows himself and incited others to do so. Repeating the facts from the defendant's point of view, counsel stated that on the 26th of February very early in the morning the ship was approaching Hongkong. There was a fog and the ship went aground just outside Captain's Pass. The Captain and crew immediately tried to get the ship off but for a time could not succeed. At about six o'clock twelve Chinese came on to the bridge deck, plaintiff being among the number, as well as four others who were armed with sticks and knives. The Chinese said nothing about paying for the launch themselves. They then went off and returned a few minutes later with some others and demanded the whistle to be blown. The captain again refused and asked them to leave the bridge. About half an hour later some 40 or 50 men, continuously getting in the way. At about 6.30 the compradore of the ship came on the scene and complained that the passengers were demanding their money back and were threatening him. About half an hour later a party committed an attack on the compradore, plaintiff taking part in it. The fight was eventually stopped by the chief officer, and the injured compradore taken off in a sampan. Later the party again returned and demanded that the party should pay for a launch should be put. Then the captain, who was in an extremely difficult position, thought it best to do as they called a launch. One or two launches did come up but none of them was going in the direction which the passengers wished. The ship was floated off at about 8.30 and on passing Green Island the captain hoisted a flag calling for the police to come to the ship when she got alongside. When the ship arrived at the wharf there were no police there and so the captain did not open the gates until they appeared on the scene. When the police came five of the ring-leaders of this "mutinous, terrifying mob of passengers" were given into custody, one being the plaintiff.

Evidence was then called for the defence.

Captain Johnson was cross-examined at length by Mr. Foster. He stated that when the Chinese came up on deck they went away after he had waved his hand to them and told them as Chinese gentlemen to go down.

So these mutineers were fairly easily cowed, weren't they?—Yes.

Do you still say they were mutineers?—Approaching it.

Oh, only approaching it now. You misapprehend the matter. I had no means at my disposal.

You had such control over them that a wave of your hand nipped the mutiny in the bud?—No, I would not like to say that.

What steps other than waving your hand did you take to check the approaching mutiny?—The police.

That was long after. What do you suggest was the mutiny?—Their threatening attitude towards me.

Then what steps did you take to stop the mutiny?—I had no means at my disposal.

Did you take any steps at all?—No, I left them alone.

Then the mutiny stopped of its own accord?—Yes.

Of course you had firearms on board?—Yes.

And you could have got the first officer to intervene if necessary, as he did for the compradore?—Yes.

He saved the compradore, didn't he?—Yes.

From 50 men?—Yes.

But you did not think it was necessary to use firearms or call the chief officer?—The case of firearms would not be allowed.

The case of firearms would not be allowed. Not even for mutiny?—It would be the last resort.

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## OUR LONDON LETTER.

(From Our Own Correspondent)

London, May 18.

Politics are in a very bad mood, through the change in monarchs. All the Conservatives and many moderate Liberals are in favour of dealing with the Cifil List and the belated Budget of this year and deferring the veto of the Lords' matter till the end of the year, when it is a deadlock there can be an appeal to the country early in the new year. But the Nationalists and Radicals want to go ahead after say a month's grace in spite of the contention that it would be "unfair to hustle King George into the conflict so early. Nobody can tell at this stage how matters will work out, but unless the Conservatives and Liberals are to appear in the same lobby to prevent a dissolution there is still nothing to prevent John Redmond from turning the Government out. Some optimistic spirits think there will be no election till after the Coronation, which would give the Liberals a full year of office still to run.

As to the King's Civil List, that will probably be settled by a Select Committee of all parties, who will report to the House of Commons. It should be a speedy matter, though there is now a new factor, the Labour party, to deal with, and it may be they will demand a still further reduction in the allowances, though the figure of £270,000 of the late King's Civil List was less than ever before, and very small in comparison with the allowances of some foreign monarchs, such as the Czar.

The Japanese gardeners and exhibitors have given London a fine show at the White City, which was opened on Saturday. King George was to have opened it on the previous Thursday but the bereavement of the Royal Family of course changed all that. It was by his wish however that the show opened as soon as it did in spite of the protests of some Japanese over here, for he thought, as in the case of the closed theatres, of the workers dependent on the entertainments and he was unwilling that they should suffer.

White paint has transformed the former halls and buildings, and they now hold a rich store of Japanese art, manufactures and curios. A Formosa village and a family, or two of the Ainu forerunners of the Japanese are attracting great attention. The British machinery section shows how Japanese collect and manufacture and get things for the majority of the exhibits are designed to attract Japanese purchasers for cotton spinning machinery. The big gun makers and railway car constructors are also much in evidence.

Here, and there in the White City one comes to a house in the Japanese style, while wanderers have been done with the back parts of the grounds to convert them into seeming mountains and valleys, akin to the scenery of the Mikado's realm. The combination of landscape gardening and some painting is very clever. We have had a backward season and a great many of the flowers are not yet out, but soon the place will be a blaze of colour.

From June 20 to June 24 Edinburgh is to hold the pick of the mission enthusiasts of the world. All sects and denominations are to be together, scheming for the conquest of heathendom to the Christian faith on a general line of advance. Among other things the scheme for the great University for China is to be reported upon from the point of view of different countries. I hear that the projects making rapid progress, financially and otherwise.

The Rev. Lord William, son of the Duke of Devonshire, who has been interesting the colleges in the movement. Everybody seems to be agreed that China offers the finest field for missionary effort at the present time, so the Far East will occupy quite the largest part of the programme at the Conference. Men from the spot are to be heard at length as to the best manner of co-operation between native and foreign teachers and missionaries.

Also support is to be given to the scheme of the "establishment" of a school of Oriental studies in London at an estimated cost of £12,000, for the training of those planning service in the East, either in the government, mercantile or missionary fields.

It is hoped to induce better relations between Governments and missions because missionaries report that native views with distrust the great colonising and commercial powers.

There will be well over a thousand delegates, of whom no less than five hundred will be from a United States. These include many men of distinction in religious, educational, and political life.

There are big possibilities looming of fresh trouble in Persia, owing to the entrance of Germany into the field of discussion, already owing to the disturbed state of the country and the alleged aggressive tactics of Russia in her sphere of influence, now comes Germany with a school of commercial agents, and talk of loans to Persian banks and enterprises. England is saying very little just now, but Russia is protesting vigorously, contending that in Persia there is even less excuse for German intervention than there was in Morocco.

The further the investigators go in their inquiry into the administration of the Russian Army the clearer does it seem that the Czar's land is more ridden by corrupt officials than any European country, save perhaps Turkey.

Moscow, Kazan, Turkestan, St. Petersburg, and Siberia all tell the same tale of corruption, illicit commissions and collusion between dishonest officials. Few, if any, officers who bought their way into the army clear themselves of the charge of booting. But they are mostly at liberty, for most of them have that valuable influence known as "pull" with the authorities. It is only the small fry who got punished in Russia.

In St. Petersburg alone they bought worthless goods to the tune of £5,000,000. And from that they raked off a huge illicit commission. After the war not a few of them were able to retire.

Every night the police are making raids on the dwellings of suspected officials—and rich results in the way of incriminating evidence are constantly being found. It is a staggering scandal of thieving! An official of Moscow was mentioned as a sample of many hundreds of others. He had a salary of £2,600 when the war began. His duty was to buy, store, and distribute food for the army. He had £200,000 and on some contracts he received bribes of as much as £2,000.

## CORRESPONDENCE.

## CHITS IN CHURCH.

(To the Editor of the "China Mail.")

Sir,—I read with interest the report in your last night's issue of the sermon delivered at Union Church by the Rev. C. H. Hickling on the subject of dishonesty in social and business life. What struck me most was his reference to the chit system, which he evidently is keen on seeing abolished. Why? If there is anything wrong with the system as a system how does he justify its adoption and retention by his own and other Churches?

True, the reverend gentleman gave a hint that his Church might soon drop the system altogether, but prospective abolition does not make amends for past laxity.—Yours etc.

## CONSISTENCY.

## LETTER FROM GERMANY.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Berlin, Germany, May 15.

## COMMERCIAL OUTLOOK.

The threatened general lock-out in the building trade and its allied branches assumed a short time ago an unusually grave aspect. The crisis has not yet passed in many provincial towns, more especially in the industrial districts of Westphalia, but Berlin, happily, is at peace in this respect. An amicable compromise has been arrived at by masters and men, and all agreements have been renewed at three years' date, with advantage to the employed in a uniform rise of wages and shorter hours. Bremen, Hamburg, and some other big cities have also proved amenable to reason. In the matter of strikes much sympathy was felt with the men in the building trade. The old contracts having terminated, new ones were scheduled by the masters with distinct advantages to themselves over the hitherto prevailing ones, and that the employees objected and shewed every intention of standing their ground comes what might, was not a matter of wonderment. All the same, the recent strikes of strikers upon men willing to work were disapproved. On one occasion twenty bricklayers were set upon by a couple of hundred armed men, who before the police had time to intervene, dashed over a stone men, and the horses drawing the carts in an atrocious manner. After that men going to work might be seen escorted by a double row of police, and finally peace was restored. In other trades a slight improvement is generally noticeable.

## COL. ROOSEVELT'S VISIT.

The visit of the energetic Ex-President of the United States was less festive than the original programme intended, but was a great success for all that. He did not stay at the Imperial Castle, nor did the gala dinner take place on account of the Kaiser's mourning for the King, but his Majesty did Mr. Roosevelt all possible honour, the climax being reached at Doberitz, when at the military review the Kaiser introduced the guest to the general as "my friend Roosevelt." Five days were spent by the Ex-President in the Prussian capital, and though he was suffering from a bad cold and alarming hoarseness part of the time, he is accustomed to do, and was able to deliver the long anticipated lecture at the University. The subject was "The World Movement." Mr. Roosevelt said little that was new, but said it in so interesting a manner that he carried his audience, which included their Imperial Majesty, Ministers, Savants and the most prominent men of Berlin—with him at every word. The height of enthusiasm was reached when the Rector presented him with the diploma of a Doctor of Philosophy. The Kaiser, with cheers, and "Dr. Roosevelt" declared afterwards it was one of the proudest moments of his life. The Ex-President and his family were guests of the American Ambassador, Mr. Belmont, who gave a dinner in honour of the visitor, as also did the French Ambassador. Mr. Roosevelt enjoyed the mimic battle at Doberitz as much as anything; the Kaiser had mounted him on a magnificent charger from his own stables, which fact was given personal notice of his favour in the form of gifts—a handsome chain vase of Royal Berlin porcelain, with the Imperial portrait and castle on either side, a book upon the question of the world's peace, and a series of autographs, including the historic one of the Kaiser's signature. The Ex-President left on Sunday to represent the United States at the obsequies of King Edward, the Kaiser telling him he would take leave of him in London.

## AVIATING WEEK.

Not to be behind the times, Berlin had its international Flying Week recently. It was arranged by the Sport-Flieg, which is a club for national and international sport. The ground at Adlershof—a few miles out of Berlin—is delightfully situated, but the aviators are far from content with the ground itself, which is too hilly and rough for their taste. A number of the whole of the meeting this year was less successful than the one held on the same ground last year. No Frenchman competed this time but the Germans showed distinct improvement. Captain Engelhardt—a pupil of Orville Wright—gained a prize on his Wright biplane, but the first prize of £1,500 was won by Herr Jeannin on a Farman biplane. He remained in the air over three hours, and had perfect control of his machine. Baron de Caters, the well-known Belgian aviator, was also successful, and a couple of Danes—new to the aviation field here—made a good impression. Some six or seven accidents occurred, but though the machines sustained considerable damage, no one was injured. The winds were unfavourable five out of the seven days, and on one day no ascents were made, money being returned to hundreds of disappointed spectators.

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Operating in connection with the OREGON RAILROAD & NAVIGATION CO.

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For Freight and Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS, LAPRAIK &amp; CO.,

General Managers.

Hongkong, November 17, 1908.

## THE EASTERN &amp; AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP CO., LIMITED.

MAIL SERVICE.

TO AUSTRALIA.

MAIL SCHEDULE.

(SUBJECT TO MODIFICATION).

STEAMERS	ARRIVE HONGKONG FROM AUSTRALIA	LEAVE HONGKONG FOR AUSTRALIA
EASTERN	June 4	June 27th, at Noon.
ALDENHAM	June 28	July 20th, at Noon.
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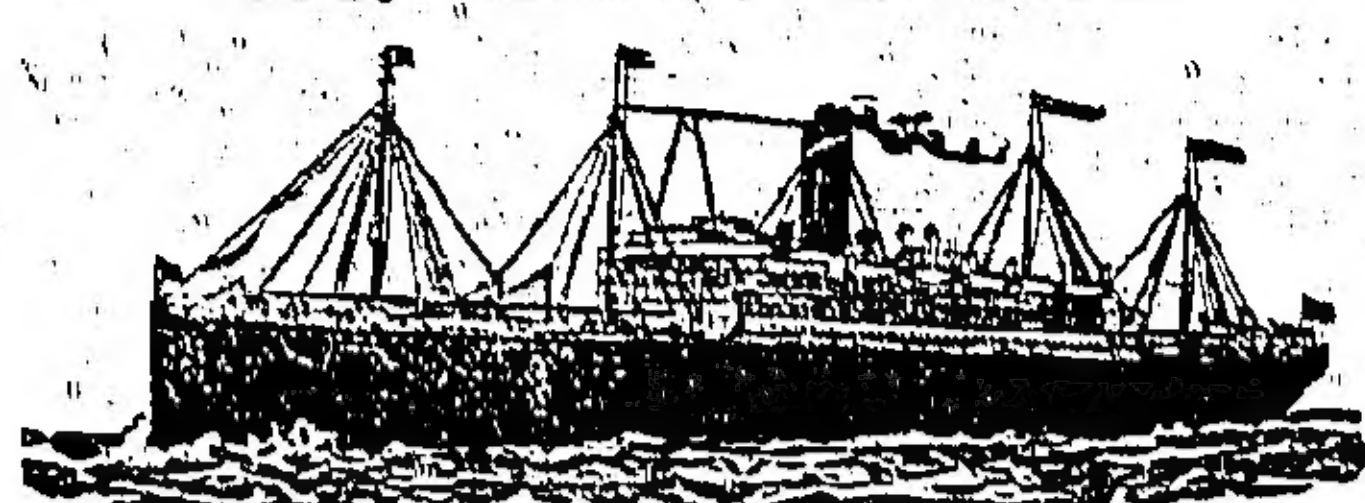
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Hongkong, November 2, 1907.

## Shipping.

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## SEMI-TROPICAL ROUTE.

Only line making the warm Southern Route across the Pacific, via Honolulu, Oahu, the most fertile and beautiful island of the Pacific.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION)

STEAMERS	SAILING DATES
CHIYU MARU	11th June, at 1 p.m.
MONGOLIA	2nd July, at 1 p.m.
TENYO MARU	9th July, at 1 p.m.
KOREA	16th July, at 1 p.m.
NIPPON MARU	30th July, at 1 p.m.
SIBERIA	6th Aug., at 1 p.m.
MANOHURI	20th Aug., at 1 p.m.

The T. K. K. S. CHIYU MARU will be despatched for San Francisco, via Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama, Shimizu, Yokohama and Honolulu, on SATURDAY, June 11th, at 1 p.m.

Fares: Hongkong to London £71 10. 0. Return six months £120 24 months £125; including Berth and Meals across America.

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Asia 9,500 Tons, SATURDAY, 18th June, at 1 p.m.

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SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG—

(SUBJECT TO ALTERATION).

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For	Steamers	Tons (gross reg.)	Leaves
TACOMA, via KEELUNG, MOJI, KOBÉ & YOKOHAMA	TACOMA MARU, Capt. H. Yamamoto.	6,178	Wednesday, 16th June, at Noon.
TACOMA, via MOJI, KOBÉ, PANAMA MARU, and YOKOHAMA	PANAMA MARU, Capt. —	—	Wednesday, 23rd June, at Noon.

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HONGKONG, SOUTH CHINA COAST PORTS AND FORMOSA SERVICE

For	Steamers	Leaves
ANPING, via SWATOW & AMOY	SUSUKU MARU, Capt. Y. Yamamoto.	WEDNESDAY, 8th June, at 10 a.m.
SHANGHAI, via SWATOW, AMOY and FOCHOW	CHOSHUN MARU, Capt. T. Suga.	THURSDAY, 9th June, at 10 a.m.
SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSUI	DALIN MARU, Capt. Y. Kobayashi.	FRIDAY, 10th June, at 10 a.m.
SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSUI	DAIGI MARU, Captain H. Maruyama.	SUNDAY, 13th June, at 10 a.m.

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Fair speed. Superior passenger accommodation. Electric Light throughout.

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Hongkong, June 22, 1909.

T. ARIMA, Manager.

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WEDNESDAY, 16th June, at Noon.

SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBÉ & YOKOHAMA

ROON, Capt. H. Rehm.

WEDNESDAY, 16th June, at Noon.

MANILA, YAP, SAMARAI, NEWGUINEA, BRISBANE, SYDNEY and MELBOURNE

PRINZ SIGISMUND, Capt. D. Lent.

SATURDAY, 18th June, at Daylight.

YOKOHAMA AND KOBÉ

COELENZ, Capt. B. Baegener.

WEDNESDAY, 23rd June, at Noon.

RUDAT AND SANDAKAN

BORNEO, Capt. Y. Sembill.

End of June.

For further Particulars apply to

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## UGLY MEN WHO WERE FAMOUS.

"No woman worthy of the name," wrote one of the loveliest ladies in London society recently, "really cares a brass farthing whether the man she honours with her hand is handsome or ugly so long as he possesses the many qualities of brains, physical strength, honour and so on which make powerful appeal to her sex."

And certainly history supports this rather unconventional view, says *The Bazar*, for many of the plainest men of whom we have any record have not only won pretty and well-dowered brides, but have been able to pick and choose among the fairest, to the confusion of their more well-favoured rivals.

Was there ever a plainer woman, we wonder, than John Wilkes, the famous champion of popular liberties and one of the most dissolute rakes of his day? So ugly was Wilkes that the very children ran away from him at sight of him in the streets, and yet such was the spell he cast over women that "ladies of beauty and fashion vied with each other for his notice, while men of handsome exterior and all courtly graces looked on with envy and impotency."

"Give me a quarter of an hour's stay," he used to boast, "and I will win any lady's hand against the handsomest man in England." And he could have done it, too. There were few beauties, fair or highly placed, whose hands could not have been his for the asking, and in the very early 20s he won for his wife one of the loveliest heiresses of the time, a lady who refused more than one coronet to be his bride.

"Beauty and the Beast" they call him, Wilkes once said to a friend, "and really I cannot find fault with the description."

Brougham, the great Lord Chancellor, was a man of almost repellent ugliness, without a solitary compensating grace of speech or manner. Conscious of his unattractiveness he shunned ladies society as he might have shunned the plague. And what was the result? The ladies, the most lovely and aristocratic in the land, simply mobbed the "ugly lawyer," and were as proud to win a smile from him as an offer of a coronet from any other man.

When anyone asked, "Where is Brougham?" the laconic answer was, "Where the ladies are thickest," and sure enough there he was; and the more he repelled his fair pursuers, the more they clustered round him.

Another famous "lady killer" was Jean Paul Marat, one of the leading and most infamous figures in the French Revolution. "Beyond any question," wrote a contemporary, "Mr. Marat is the ugliest man in the whole of France—and not merely ugly, but positively repulsive in person, habits and manners."

And yet in his early years he was beyond rivalry the most popular physician in Paris. His consulting rooms were crowded daily by the loveliest women in French capital, pushing and jostling to get a word with or perhaps win a smile from him. That he turned a deaf ear and cold shoulder to their attentions only stimulated their ardour, until their attentions became so embarrassing that at one time he seriously meditated flight.

Even when he contracted a loathsome skin disease while hiding in the sewers of Paris, he was devotedly nursed by one of the loveliest of his many admirers, whom he "married one fine day in the presence of the sun."

If possible a still more repulsive man was Fotomkin, the former private soldier, who enslaved the fancy of Catherine the Great and by her favour was made virtually Czar of Russia. "Despicable and repulsive" was the description of him by one who knew him. "He has an unwieldy figure and knock-knees, is swarthy of skin, coarse in feature and has lost one eye. He often passes whole days in his room half-dressed, uncombed, unwashed, hitting his nails and scratching his untidy head." And yet says Durand, "the Empress is quite crazy over him, as is proved by her passionate letters, in which she addresses him as 'my lord,' 'my king,' 'my inestimable treasure.'"

Not perhaps the least curious case of all these cases of woman's infatuation for ugly men was that of W. Hamilton, a Scotsman of a century and a half ago. Hamilton was not only preternaturally ugly, but he was terribly deformed. "His legs," we are told, "were drawn up to his ears, his arms were twisted backward, and almost every member was out of joint."

In spite of these terrible physical drawbacks Hamilton easily outstripped all the gallants in his district in the favour of the ladies. "He might have married any of them for the asking, indeed it is said several of them actually asked him," says a chronicler. "But he remained proof against all their wiles until after his eightieth birthday, and then he married a girl of 50, himself being carried to the altar on men's shoulders."

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MELOCHERS & CO., Insurance Dept.

Hongkong, February 4, 1910.

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## Shipping.

## INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LD.

PROJECTED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION).

FOR	STEAMERS	To SAIL
TIENSIN via WEI-HAI	CHONGSHING	WEDNESDAY, June 8, at 4 p.m.
SHANGHAI, KOBÉ and MOI	FOOKSANG	FRIDAY, June 10, at Noon.
MANILA	LOONGSANG	FRIDAY, June 10, at 4 p.m.
SINGAPORE, PENANG and CALCUTTA	KUTSANG	SATURDAY, June 11, at Noon.
SANDAKAN	MAUSANG	TUESDAY, June 14, at Noon.
MANILA	YUENSANG	FRIDAY, June 17, at 4 p.m.

RETURN TOURS TO JAPAN. Occupying 24 days.

THE steamer Kutsang, Namsang and Fookshing leave about every 3 weeks for Shanghai, returning via Kobe (Inland Sea) and Moji to Hongkong.

These vessels have all modern improvements and are fitted throughout with Electric Light.

A duly qualified Surgeon is also carried.

Steamers have superior accommodation for First-class Passengers, and are fitted throughout with Electric Light.

Taking Cargo on Through Bills of Lading to Yangtze Ports, Chefoo, Tientsin & Newchwang.

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For Freight or Passage, apply to Sub. Exch. & Telephone No. 215.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers.

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## CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LD.

CHINA.

SAILINGS SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

FOR	STEAMERS	To SAIL
SHANGHAI	CHEEFOO	June 9, at 4 p.m.
SHANGHAI	TIENSIN	June 12, Daylight
CHEEFOO & TIENSIN	—	June 14, at 4 p.m.
SHANGHAI	—	June 18, at 4 p.m.
SHANGHAI	—	June 19, Daylight
MANILA, ZAMBOANGA, and USUAL	—	June 25, at 4 p.m.

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FAST SCHEDULE TWIN SUREW STEAMERS.—(S.S. Anhui, Chusan, Linas, Chusan) with excellent passenger accommodation, Electric Light throughout and Electric Fans in State-rooms and Dining Saloon, leave Hongkong for Shanghai direct every Thursday and Sunday, taking cargo on through Bills of Lading to all Yangtze and Northern China Ports.

N.B.—Passengers must embark before midnight on Saturday for the Sunday morning sailing. A Company's launch leaves Murray Pier at 10 o'clock every Saturday night.

These Steamers land passengers in Shanghai, avoiding the inconvenience of transshipment at Woosung.

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## Shipping.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM  
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PROPOSED SAILINGS OF MAIL STEAMERS

## MARSEILLES &amp; LONDON,

TAKING PASSENGERS ALSO FOR

COLOMBO, INDIA, AUSTRALASIA, EGYPT, BRINDISI, &c.  
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STEAMERS to COLOMBO	Leaves HONGKONG	Connecting Steamers from Colombo to MARSEILLES & LONDON	Due MARSEILLES (Brindisi 1 day earlier)	Due PLYMOUTH (London 1 day later)		
Steamer	tons	1 p.m. Saturday	Steamer	Tons	Saturday	Friday
ASSAYE.....	7978	June 11	PIRELLA.....	7951	July 10	July 16
ARADIA.....	8003	June 25	MAIWA.....	9500	July 24	July 30
DELTA.....	8053	July 9	MACE DONIA.....	10012	Aug. 7	Aug. 13
DELEI.....	8000	July 23	MOLDAVIA.....	8000	Aug. 21	Aug. 27
ASSAYE.....	7500	Aug. 6	MONGOLIA.....	9000	Sept. 4	Sept. 10
DEVANHA.....	8000	Aug. 20	MAEMORA.....	10000	Sept. 18	Sept. 24
ARADIA.....	8003	Sept. 3	MOBILAN.....	10000	Oct. 1	Oct. 7
DELTA.....	8053	Sept. 17	CHINA.....	8000	Oct. 15	Oct. 21
DELEI.....	8000	Oct. 1	INDIA.....	7000	Oct. 29	Nov. 4
ASSAYE.....	7578	Oct. 15	MALWA.....	9511	Nov. 12	Nov. 18
DEVANHA.....	8000	Oct. 29			Nov. 26	Dec. 2

Passengers change steamers at Colombo, and those for Brindisi transfer also to the Express Mail Steamer at Port Said.  
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SIMLA.....	4800	June	29	Aug.	14
MALTA.....	5184	July	13	Aug.	23
BOMALI.....	6708	July	27	Sept.	11
SUNDA.....	4674	Aug.	24	Oct.	8
NUBIA.....	5977	Sept.	7	Oct.	22
SYRIA.....	6860	Oct.	5	Nov.	10
PALAWAN.....	4700	Oct.	17	Dec.	1

These Steamers call also at Singapore, Penang, Colombo, and at Malacca.  
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E. A. HEWITT, Superintendent.CHINA AND MANILA  
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Steamship	Tons	Captain	For	Sailing Date
RUBI.....	2540	A. Fraser	Manila	SATURDAY, June 11, at Noon.
ZAFIRO.....	2540	R. Rodgers	Manila	June 18, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

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NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA  
(THE JAPAN MAIL STEAMSHIP CO.)PROJECTED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG—SUBJECT  
TO ALTERATION.

DESTINATIONS	STEAMERS	SAILING DATES
MARSEILLES, LONDON AND ANTWERP, via SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO AND PORT SAID.....	TANGO MARU, Capt. A. Christensen, Tons 8000. KAMO MARU, Capt. E. L. Sommer, Tons 9000. AKI MARU, Capt. K. Honma, Tons 7000.	WEDNESDAY, 8th June, at Daylight. WEDNESDAY, 22nd June, at Daylight. WEDNESDAY, 6th July, at Daylight.
VICTORIA, B.O. & SEAT- TLE, via KEELUNG, SHANGHAI, MOJI, Kobe, YOKKAICHI, SHIMIZU & YOKOHAMA	AWA MARU, Capt. S. Ishikawa, Tons 7000. INABA MARU, Capt. K. Kawara, Tons 7000.	TUESDAY, 21st June, at 4 p.m. TUESDAY, 19th July, at 4 p.m.
VICTORIA, B.O. AND SEATTLE	KAMAKURA MARU, Capt. F. Nagao, Tons 7000.	SATURDAY, 18th June, from Kobe.
SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE, via MANILA, THURS- DAY ISLAND, COWES, YAWATA AND BRISBANE	KUMANO MARU, Capt. M. Winkler, Tons 5000. YAWATA MARU, Capt. T. Sekine, Tons 5000.	FRIDAY, 10th June, at Noon. FRIDAY, 8th July, at Noon.
SHANGHAI, MOJI & KOBE	HAHATA MARU, Capt. A. Mocker, Tons 7000.	WEDNESDAY, 8th June, p.m.
NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA	YAWATA MARU, Capt. T. Sekine, Tons 5000.	WEDNESDAY, 8th June, at Noon.
Kobe & YOKOHAMA	MISHIMA MARU, Capt. A. E. Moore, Tons 5000.	THURSDAY, 9th June, 5 p.m.
BOMBAY, via SINGAPORE AND COLOMBO	COLOMBO MARU, Capt. E. Combes, Tons 5000.	TUESDAY, 14th June.

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Hongkong, March 17, 1910.

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Hongkong, April 4, 1908.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND  
CALCUTTA.Taking Cargo on through Bills of Lading to  
Rangoon, Madras and Mauritius.THE Steamship LIGHTNING,  
Capt. A. E. Gentry, will be despatched  
for the above ports on THURSDAY, the 11th  
inst., at Noon.For Freight or Passage, apply to  
D. SASSOON & Co., Ltd.,  
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Hongkong, June 2, 1910. 707

FOR  
STRAITS, CEYLON, AUSTRALIA,  
INDIA, ADEN, EGYPT, MEDITER-  
RANEAN PORTS, PLYMOUTH  
AND LONDON.Through Bills of Lading issued for BATA-  
VIA PERSIAN GULF, CON-  
TINENTAL, AMERICAN AND  
SOUTH AFRICAN PORTS.THE Steamship ASSAYE, Captain Owen  
Jones, R.N., carrying His Majesty's  
Mails, will be despatched from this for  
BOMBAY, &c., on SATURDAY, the 11th  
June, 1910, at Noon, taking Passengers  
and Cargo for the above ports in connection  
with the Company's Steamship Service.  
7,912 tons, from Colombo, Passenger  
accommodation in which vessel is secured  
before departure from Hongkong.Suez and Yalambes All Cargo for France,  
and for London (under arrangement) will  
be transhipped at Colombo into the mail  
steamer proceeding to Marseilles and  
London; other cargo for London, &c., will  
be conveyed via Bombay by the R.M.S.  
Oceano, due in London on the 10th July,  
1910.Parcels will be received at this Office  
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contents and value of all packages are  
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E. A. HEWITT,  
Superintendent.

Hongkong, May 28, 1910. 671

CANADIAN PACIFIC  
RAILWAY CO.

FOR VANCOUVER.

THE Steamship  
OCEANO.From Hongkong, on  
SATURDAY, 11th June, for  
VANCOUVER Direct.To be followed by  
SUVERIC.....18th June.  
KUMERIC.....6th July.  
SUVERIC.....25th July.

SUVERIC.....2nd August.

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RAILWAY CO.,  
HONGKONG.

Hongkong, May 28, 1909. 679

## Notices to Consignees

FROM EUROPE

THE H.A.L. Steamship  
WESTPHALIA.Captain BUCH, having arrived, Con-  
signees of Cargo are hereby informed that  
their goods are being landed and placed at  
their risk in the Godowns and/or extra  
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Limited, whence delivery may be obtained  
against Bills of Lading countersigned by  
the Undersigned.Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless  
notice to the contrary be given before  
To-day.All Claims must be presented within ten  
days of the steamer's arrival here, after  
which date they cannot be admitted.No Claims will be accepted after the  
Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods  
remaining undelivered after the 11th inst.,  
will be subject to rent.All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods  
are to be left in the Godowns, where they  
will be examined on the 11th inst., at  
3 p.m.No Fire Insurance will be effected by us  
in any case whatever.The steamer brings cargo:-  
Ex s.s. Narya from Göteborg.

Ex s.s. Hama Bismark from Halmstad.

HAMBURG-AMERICA LINE.

Hongkong Office.

Hongkong, June 6, 1910. 713

INDRA LINE, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM NEW YORK via SUEZ CANAL.

THE Co.'s Steamship Indragiri having  
arrived from the above Port, Con-  
signees of Cargo are hereby informed that  
their Goods are being landed and placed at  
their risk in the Godowns and/or extra  
hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and  
Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company,  
Limited, whence delivery may be obtained  
against Bills of Lading countersigned by  
the Undersigned.Optional goods will be landed here un-  
less instructions are given to the contrary  
before arrival.JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, June 2, 1910. 708

IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, BREMEN.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE Steamship YOKO,  
having arrived, Consignees of cargo are  
hereby informed that their Goods, with the  
exception of Opium, Treasure and Valua-  
bles, are being landed and stored at their  
risk in the Godowns and/or extra  
hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and  
Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company,  
Limited, whence delivery may be obtained  
against Bills of Lading countersigned by  
the Undersigned.No claims will be admitted after the  
Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods  
remaining undelivered after the 7th of  
June will be subject to rent.All Broken, Chafed, and Damaged Goods  
are to be left in the Godowns, where they  
will be examined on the 7th of June, at  
9.30 a.m., or they will not be re-  
cognized.No Fire Insurance will be effected.  
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by  
the Undersigned.This steamer brings Cargo:-  
Ex s.s. Barbary from Venice.NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD,  
MELBOURNE & CO.,  
General Agents.

Hongkong, June 1, 1910. 697

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS,  
LIMITED.FOR LONDON, ROTTERDAM AND  
ANTWERP.THE Steamship  
BRECONSHIRE,  
Captain TOMLINSON, will be despatched as  
above on or about 20th June.For Freight or Passage, apply to  
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, May 31, 1910. 687

AUSTRIAN NAVI-  
GATION COMPANY.STEAM FOR  
TRIESTE DIRECT, Calling at  
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GULF, RED SEA, BLACK SEA, LEBANT,  
VENICE and ADRIATIC PORTS).THE Co.'s Steamship  
E. FRANZ FERDINAND,  
Captain COSS, will be despatched as above  
on 28th June, 1910.This Steamer has capital accommodation  
for passengers, Electric Light and  
carries a Doctor.For information as to Passage and  
Freight, apply to  
SANDER, WELER & CO.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, May 31, 1910. 692

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMER ARMAND BIZIO.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES  
MARITIMES.CONSIGNEES of Cargo from LONDON  
via s.s. Medea, from DUNKERQUE  
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HAVRE via s.s. Medea, in connection  
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undelivered after the 13th inst., at Noon,  
will be subject to rent and landing charges.All claims must be sent in to us on or  
before the 14th June, or they will not be  
recognized.All damaged packages will be examined  
on the 13th June, at 3 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, June 4, 1910. 711

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## NORTH-BOUND.

Steamer	Leaves	Arrives	Days	Days
from	Dairin	Shanghai	Sat. or Sun.	Mon. or Tues.
Shanghai (Steamer).....	1.00 p.m.	10.24 a.m.	Sat.	Mon.
Dairin (Train).....	10.24 a.m.	10.45 a.m.	Tues.	Tues.
Mukden (Train).....	10.45 a.m.	8.00 a.m.	Wed.	Wed.
Changchun (Train).....	8.00 a.m.	11.40 a.m.	Thurs.	Thurs.
Harbin (Train).....	11.40 a.m.	8.20 p.m.	Fri.	Fri.

Connecting at Harbin with

## SOUTH-BOUND.

Steamer	Leaves	Arrives	Days	Days
from	Dairin	Shanghai	Sat. or Sun.	Mon. or Tues.
Harbin (Train).....	11.20 a.m.	8.40 p.m.	Tues.	Thurs.
Changchun (Train).....	8.40 p.m.	4.15 a.m.	Wednes.	Fri.
Mukden (Train).....	4.15 a.m.	4.50 a.m.	Fri.	Sat.
Dairin (Train).....	4.50 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	Sat.	Sund.
Shanghai (Train).....	1.30 p.m.		Sund.	Tues.

TICKET AGENTS:-The Company's railway and steamer tickets are obtain-  
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## WEATHER REPORT.

The following notice is issued from the Hongkong Observatory:

On the 7th at 11.55 a.m.—The barometer has fallen quickly in N.E. Japan owing to the depression, which is moving slowly Eastwards over Hokkaido.

Barometric changes in other areas are slight.

Pressure is high over the N. part of the China Sea and the Pacific towards the Bering, and relatively low over the Yangtze valley.

Modest or fresh S. and S.W. winds may be expected in the Formosa Channel and over the northern shores of the China Sea.

Hongkong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.04 inches.

Forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon to-morrow:

- 1.—Hongkong and Neighbourhood: S. winds, moderate or fresh; fair.
- 2.—South coast of China between Hongkong and Lamook: Same as No. 1.
- 3.—South coast of China between Hongkong and Hainan: Same as No. 1.

## To-day's Advertisements

THE BAND OF THE BUFFS will play in THE BOTANICAL GARDENS. (IF FINE)

ON SATURDAY, JUNE 11th. Commencing 9 P.M.

Admission One Dollar.

Tickets may be obtained from MOUTRIE & CO. Hongkong, June 7, 1910. 721

## LOST.

A White and Brown FOX TERRIER BITCH, answers to the name of Jess. Will under police communicate with F. C. M. HOLLEY, c/o Messrs HUGHES & ROUGH, Hongkong, June 7, 1910. 725

## WATER POLO COMPETITION.

A MEETING of those interested in the Water Polo Competition will be held at the Victoria Recreation Club on MONDAY, the 13th inst. at 6 p.m. BUSINESS: To elect Committee and Officials and make arrangements for the Season.

W. J. CARROLL, Hon. Secretary, H.K. Water Polo Association, Hongkong, June 7, 1910. 723

## TO LET.

TWO Good Furnished BEDROOMS, BARKER Road, the Park. Apply to '6', Care of 'CHINA MAIL' Office, Hongkong, June 7, 1910. 728

## TO LET.

FURNISHED 'KENTIS' MOUNT KELLETTS, for short or long term, from July. Apply to COMMANDER BASIL TAYLOR, R.N., Harbour Office, Hongkong, June 7, 1910. 727

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to Sell by Public Auction for account of the CONSERVATOR, on

## SATURDAY,

the 11th June, 1910, at 11 a.m., at their SALE ROOM, No. 8, Des Voeux Road, Corner of Ice House Street, 19 CASES OF ASSORTED MANILA CIGARETTES (in good order and condition).

HUGHES & ROUGH, Auctioneers, Hongkong, June 7, 1910. 720

## To-day's Advertisements

## RAILWAY

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## LOCOMOTIVES, gauge, 90cm.

Manufactured by Henschel &amp; Son.

(Horse-power, 160.

Boiler-pressure, 12 atm.

Heating-surface, 4421 sq. ft.

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130 Tipping-wagons, 4.2 cu. yds, 8 tons, 14 tons.

10 Coal-wagons, 3.0 cu. yds, 8 tons, 14 tons.

5 Truck-wagons.

All the materials are in the very best condition and ready for immediate use.

For further particulars and enquiries address the undersigned.

O. VERING, SHANGHAI, TSINGTAU.

12, Yangtze Road, Hongkong, June 7, 1910. 726

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## H. RUTTONJEE &amp; SON.

Hongkong, May 19, 1910.

## OSAKA SHOEN KAISHA.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM TACOMA, JAPAN &amp; MANILA.

## THE Steamship

## TACOMA MARU.

The above-mentioned steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of cargo from a alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed at once at Consignees risk and expense.

Cargo remaining on board after SATURDAY, June 11th, 1910, at noon will be landed and stored at Consignees risk and expense.

Cargo remaining undelivered after 14th inst. will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed and damaged goods are to be left in the godown where they will be examined on the 13th inst.

No fire insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

OSAKA SHOEN KAISHA, Hongkong, June 7, 1910. 720

## INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

## FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Co's Steamship Fooking having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of cargo by her are hereby informed that their goods will be delivered from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after 4 p.m., the 8th inst. will be landed at Consignees risk and expense.

No fire insurance will be effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON &amp; Co., Ltd., General Managers.

Hongkong, June 7, 1910. 722

## SHIPPING

## ARRIVALS.

June 6.

Rubi, British steamer, 1,618, A. Fraser, Manila, June 4, General.—SHEWAN, TOMES &amp; Co.

Anchoring, British str., 1,307, W. McIntosh, Shanghai June 5, General.—BUTTERFIELD &amp; SWIRE.

Japan, British steamer, 2,795, H. W. A. Clark, Tsingtau June 1, General.—P. &amp; O. S. N. Co.

Fukui Maru, Japanese steamer, 1,187, Murakami, Moji June 4, Coal.—M. B. S. K. June 7.

Kumano Maru, Japanese str., 3,147, M. Winkler, Nagasaki June 3, General.—NIPPON Yusen Kaisha.

Kwang Lee, Chinese steamer, 1,468, Lincol, Shanghai June 3, General.—J. M. S. N. Co.

Hawm, French str., 636, E. de Castejano, Haiphong May 4, Rice and General.—MISSOURI MAIL CO.

Alina, German str., 1,449, J. D. Martin, Saigon June 5, Rice and General.—CHINA.

Sfrica, German str., 3,580, Porcellus, Tankow May 31, General.—HAMBURG-AMERICA LINE.

Fooking, British steamer, 1,987, T. A. Mitchell, Singapore June 1, General.—JARDINE, MATHESON &amp; Co., Ltd.

Pallat, German str., 1,018, J. Wenzel, Bangkok May 30, Rice.—BUTTERFIELD &amp; SWIRE.

Sengachia, German str., 3,750, Eckhorn, Shanghai June 3, General.—HAMBURG-AMERICA LINE.

Shant, British str., 1,482, E. Pottinger, Tsingtau June 2, Salt and General.—BUTTERFIELD &amp; SWIRE.

Yingchen, British str., 1,215, W. Frazier, Saitow June 6, Ballast.—BUTTERFIELD &amp; SWIRE.

Cheongking, British steamer, 1,253, O. McL. Liddell, Tsingtau May 23, General.—JARDINE, MATHESON &amp; Co., Ltd.

Hakida Maru, Japanese str., 3,850, A. Mocker, Singapore June 1, Fruit, Cotton and General.—NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

Aso, Japanese cruiser, 3,010, Sato, from Singapore.

Soya, Japanese cruiser, 8,000, Suzuki, from Singapore.

Kwangang, British str., from Canton.

## DEPARTURES.

June 7.

Touman, for Saigon and Marseilles.

Omura Maru, for Port Arthur.

Tientsin, for Batavia.

Pikoh, for Saigon.

Niang Chang, for Canton.

Seng Rei, for Canton.

Tsao, for Manila.

Shanghai, for Canton.

Migo, for Hiohoo.

Hien, for Hiohoo.

Westphalen, for Shanghai.

Kikou, for Swatow.

Shen, for Canton.

Japan, for Singapore and London.

## CLEARED.

Nanchang, for Swatow.

Singapore, for Haiphong.

Kanton, for Swatow.

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## STEAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL.

## OUTWARD BOUND.

May 10, Indragiri.

May 12, Hysen.

May 14, Berber, Cordigliere, Kanton, Kinab, Peta, Soma.

May 27, Alimous, Kaga Maru, Polyphemia, Tonkin, Perona.

May 31, Braulia, Glenet, Kouangsi, Sene, S. Bremer, Machson, Salasia, Shena, Soyo Maru, Yara.

May 24, Glasgowsky, Palma.

June 3, Ambria, O. Ferdi, Laris, Duenon, Sardinia, Teucer, Inveric.

June 3, Kanto Maru, Liberia, Sukh, Tienhai.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The P. &amp; O. S. N. Co.'s s.s. Arcadia with the EXPRESS MAIL of the 13th May, left Singapore on Friday, the 3rd June, at 2.30 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Wednesday, the 8th June, at 6 a.m.

The N. D. L. s.s. Reon carrying the German Mails with dates from Berlin of the 18th May, left Colombo on Sunday, the 5th June, a.m., and may be expected here on or about Wednesday, the 13th June, p.m.

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